

MAILBOX INSTALLATIONS

The Standard Specifications are revised as follows:

SECTION 611, DELETE LINES 1 THROUGH 157

SECTION 611, AFTER LINE 158, INSERT AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 611 -- MAILBOX INSTALLATIONS

611.01 Description. This work shall consist of the construction of mailbox installations in accordance with 105.03.

MATERIALS

611.02 Materials. Materials shall be in accordance with the following:

Mailbox Support Galvanized Hardware..... ASTM A 153
Nominal Standard Galvanized Pipe ASTM A 120
Treated Wood Posts..... 911.02(e)

CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

611.03 Mailbox Assembly. Existing mailboxes and assemblies shall be removed without damage from the highway right-of-way. Mailboxes, which must remain in service between removal and erection of the new assembly, shall be securely mounted to an empty 220 L (55 gal.) metal drum. The temporary assembly shall be located where it is accessible for mail delivery but placed as far as possible from the traveled roadway. The apparent owner of the existing mailbox shall be contacted and allowed to take possession of the existing mailbox and assembly. If the owner refuses to take possession, the existing mailbox and assemblies shall be removed.

Mailbox assemblies shall be furnished and installed as shown on the plans. Alternate mailbox assemblies which have been crash tested and approved in accordance with NCHRP 350 requirements may be considered upon receipt of a written request. Alternate mailbox assemblies approved for use shall be furnished and installed in conformance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

Mailboxes complying with the requirements of the United States Postal Service, including markings and sizes, shall be furnished and installed with the mailbox assembly. The mailbox shall be of comparable size to the existing mailbox previously removed from the highway right-of-way. The markings shall include "approved by U.S. Postmaster" stamped on the mailbox by the manufacturer and the address number, box number, or house number, in 50 mm (2 in.) or larger reflective material placed on the side of the mailbox in view of motorists in the nearest travel lane.

611.04 Method of Measurement. Mailbox assemblies will be measured by the number of units installed.

611.05 Basis of Payment. Mailbox assemblies will be paid for at the contract unit price for each, complete in place.

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Payment will be made under:

<i>Pay Item</i>	<i>Metric Pay Unit Symbol (English Pay Unit Symbol)</i>
<i>Mailbox Assembly, Double.....</i>	<i>EACH</i>
<i>Mailbox Assembly, Single.....</i>	<i>EACH</i>

